CHAPTER NO. 360

HOUSE BILL NO. 783

By Representative DuBois

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1075

By Senators Ketron, Miller, Crowe

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 70, relative to the issuance of hunting and fishing licenses and permits.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 70-2-107, is amended by adding the following language as a new subsection (c):

(c) In addition to the annual licenses authorized by subsection (a), the agency is authorized to issue any hunting, fishing or trapping license for periods exceeding (1) year.

SECTION 2. The Tennessee wildlife resources agency is authorized to promulgate rules and regulations to effectuate the purposes of this act. All such rules and regulations shall be promulgated in accordance with the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 5.

SECTION 3. For the purpose of promulgating rules and regulations, this act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, this act shall take effect July 1, 2005, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: May 25, 2005

JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

> JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 7th day of June 2005

PHIL BREDESEN GOVERNOR